

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 7
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A RESOLUTION to call a joint convention of the Senate and the House of Representatives for the purpose of inaugurating the Honorable Phil Bredesen as Governor of the State of Tennessee, to provide for the adjournment of the One Hundred Third General Assembly organizational session and to provide for the convention and recess of the 2003 regular session of the One Hundred Third General Assembly.

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 8-1-101, provides that the Governor shall take the oath of office on the first Saturday following the fourteenth day of January next following his election, after the commencement of the organizational session of the General Assembly in accordance with Article II, Section 8 of the Constitution of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That the Senate and the House of Representatives meet in joint convention on the Legislative Plaza on Saturday, January 18, 2003, at 11:30 a.m. (CST) for the purpose of inaugurating the Honorable Phil Bredesen as Governor of the State of Tennessee.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a joint committee to be composed of six (6) members of the Senate and six (6) members of the House of Representatives, be appointed by the respective Speakers to escort the Honorable Phil Bredesen to the podium to be inaugurated as Governor of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the One Hundred Third General Assembly organizational session stand in adjournment at the close of the joint convention on Saturday, January 18, 2003.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That pursuant to Article II, Section 8, of the Constitution of Tennessee, that the One Hundred Third General Assembly convene in regular session on Saturday, January 18, 2003, immediately following adjournment of the One Hundred Third General Assembly organizational session.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the One Hundred Third General Assembly stand in recess at the close of business in both houses on Saturday, January 18, 2003, and reconvene on Monday, February 3, 2003, at 5:00 p.m. (CST).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That pursuant to Article II, Section 16, of the Constitution of Tennessee, the House of Representatives, by its concurrence in this resolution, consents to this recess.